## **DISPENSARY** AT TARBORO

State Senate Gives All Day to Discussion of the Bill.

PASSED AFTER A FIGHT

Other Matters Considered at the Sessions of the Two Branches of the Legislature-Dental Department at the State University.

(Special to The Times-Dispetch.)

RALEIGH, N. C., Jan. 29.—Almost all of to-day's seasion of the State Senate was devoted to an exhaustive and, at times, animated discussion of the bill providing for an election on the question of a dispensary at Tarboro. The fight against the bill was led by Senator London, and the bill was championed by Senators Gilliam, of Edgecomb, and Woodard, of Wilson. It was passed by a good majority, and sent to the House without engrossment.

A number of bills were ratified in the Senate, among them bills to cross index executors and guardians in county registers, to prohibit the manufacture and sale of liquor in Sectiand county, and sent to the county, to incorporate the bank of Selma and to, repeal the slock law in Federal Point townshipil New Hallover county.

The only bill introduced in the Senate of interest was by Mr. Mitchell to regulate the sale, branding and inspection of cotton-seed meal.

IN THE HOUSE.

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Notable bills introduced in the House Were: By Mr. Stanley: To appoint court

By Mr. Stanley: To appoint court stenographers.
By Mr. Crocker: To establish a dispensary at Wilson.
Among bills passed were:
To incorporaty the Winston-Stewart Turnpike and Railroad Company. (The clause providing for State convicts to be worked in exchange for stock in the roads was stricken out on motion of Mr. Watson, of Blount).
To change the charter of Mount Airy, To incorporate the Carnegie Library, Charlotte.

Charlotte.
To incorporate Abbotisberg, Bladen

To amend charter of Belle Haven. The joint session of the House and Senate to go through the daily formal-ity of a ballot for United States Senator was held at noon. There was the usual distribution of complimentary votes by

Democratic members. CHARTER GRANTED.

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The Secretary of State to-day chartered the Oak Hill Mining Company, of High Point; capital, \$20,000. The principal incorporators are W. G. Gaither, M. A. Popkies and H. A. De Rudio.
The trustees of the University of North Carolina met to-day and received an improtant supplementary report, in which the establishment of a dental school in connection with the university was recommended.

ommended.

It urges a \$25,000 appropriation for a laboratory building, saying that 337 students are now being instructed in a laboratory designed for 150 students.

In conclusion, the report says: "Unless relief comes from some source, a further curtailment of expenses will be necessary. This means a step backward on the part of the university, which will be most unfortunate to the university and the young men of the State."

The report will be transmitted to the Legislature, with the request that ample appropriation be made.

## **NEW MACHINERY**

Fentress Company to Enlarge Its Mining

Capacity.

(Sectal to The Times-Dispatch.)

(REENSBORO, N. C., Jan. 22—Mr. Henry J. Dexter, of New York, president of the Fentress Mining Company, arrived in this city yesterday with a number of gentlemen and are registered at Hotel Guilford. The party left this morning on a special train to inspect the corpany's properties, which are situated in Guiltord county. The Fentress Company has just closed a contract for machigery and equipment, and as soon as materials, etc., can be delivered a forty-stamp mill will be erected.

The company within a few days will have their present mill equipped and in operation with ten stamps.

The case involving bonds of the county of Henderson will be heard before Judge James E. Boyd, in this city, next knonday. The suit was brought by the holders of the bonds, which were issued in aid of the Ashevine and Spartanburg Railroad. The county is resisting liability, on the ground of illegality in their issue.

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The case against Isaac W. Ebbs, the lawyer, charged with making faise youchers to the government, will also come up for hearing before Judge Boyd next Monday.

The marriage of XV. W. The marriage of XV. W.

The marriage of air. Free, at 1330 inst Miss Alice Tye took place at 0:30 inst evening at the home of the bride's mo-ther, No. 326 West Lee Street, the cere-mony being performed by Rev. C. E. Hodgin, of Westminster Presbyterian Church

Church. Mr. S. H. Hardwick, general passenger

Mr. S. H. Hardwick, general passenger agent of the Southern, Washington, accompanied by two of his traveling passenger agents—Messrs. C. W. Westbury and R. L. Vernon—were at the Benbow this morning. The party is making a tour down this way, and left on an early train for Chase City, Va.

Postmaster Glenn has been notified that a power cancelling machine has

that a power cancelling machine has been ordered for his office.

## NEGRO ARRESTED

Charged With Insulting a White Girl in Winston-Salem.

(Special to The Times Dispatch.)
WINSTON-BALEM, N. C., January 23,—
A negro man named Hubbard Torrell was arrested and jailed this morning on the charge or being the man who has on several occasions stopped and used language that indicated that he intended making a criminal assault upon Miss Ellen Greer, white girl, while en route to her work. The policeman who made the arrest was watching for Terrell. The nearo stopped the girl at the place of the former attacks. After the arrest Miss Greer asked the officer to allow her to kill the negro. She had the platel with which she fired upon Terrell last Tuesday morning. While telling a friend about the arrest of the negro, Miss Greer fainted and had to be carried home.

Assleep on Rallroad Track.

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(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
DURHAM, N. C., Jan. 20.—A northbound extra freight train of the Seaboard Air Line ran over J. D. W. Rigsboc, a prominent farmer of Granville
county, and badly mutilated him. Rigsbee had been to town and on his return
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sat down on a trestle and went to sleep,
he train out off one log, a portion of
one arfn and fractured his skull. The
four physicians who attended him say
he will die. The accident occurred
about noon to-day,

# Ayer's CABELL BILL

chitis, consumption. We have been saying this for

60 years. The oldest doc-

tor in town says so, too.

Or ask the youngest one

just from college. Lowell, Kass.

REFORMATORY FOR

YOUNG CRIMINALS

King's Daughters of North

Carolina are Interested in the Movement. (Special to The Times Dispatch.)
RALEIGH, N. C., January 29.—The
joint Legislative Committee on Propo-

ome from school with her six-year-old

has been handsomely fitted up so that it is one of the handsomest banking houses in the State. The Savings Bank has pur-chased the property.

BEAUTIFY BATTLEFIELD

Government Asked to Appropriate \$5,000 for Moore Creek, N. C.

pecial to The Times-Dispatch.)

"Whereas, the first blood shed in any

Southern State for American independ-

cnce was at Moore's Creek, N. C., Feb-ruary 27, 1776, and whereas, the heroes of that first important victory have never been recognized by our government; there-

forc, be it "Resolved, That we appeal to the repre-

scatatives of the people in Congress in this, the ern of our unprecedented pros-perity and national greatness, to appro-priate not less than \$5,000 to beautify that

historic battleground, which is now the property of North Carolina, and to repair and care for the humble shaft erected by private subscription to the memory of those gallant patriots who, without experience or precedence to sustain them, so promtply acted in defense of American liberty.

ilberty.

"Resolved, That the chairman of the Moore's Creek Monumental Association' send a copy of these resolutions to each of the North Carolina Senators and Representatives in Congress, with the request that they use their influence to secure this simple act of justice to the people of North Carolina."

Failure in Wythevne.

(Special to The Times Dispatch.)

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WYTHEVILLE, VA., January 29.—One of the largest merchandise firms in Wytheville went into the hands of a trustee to-day, when W. H. Bolling & Company, dealers in general merchandise, made an assignment to M. M. Caldwell, trustee, for the benefit of its creditors. The liabilities are unknown, but it is reported that the amount will reach ten or twelve thousand dollars, while the assets are not likely to be more than half that sum.

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brother.

Cherry Pectoral Eloquent Pleas by Mr. Halsey For colds, coughs, bron-

and Colonel Cabell.

DOHERTY TO BE HEARD

Will Give Testimony Before Committee. Interesting Bills in the Legislature. Measures Considered in Committee - Live Gossip.

The Senate Committee on General Laws heard the advocates of the Cabell child labor bill last night and postponed final action until next Wednesday night, when the testimony of Labor Commissioner James B. Doherty on the subject will be

James E. Doherty on the subject will be taken.

Colonel George C. Cabell, Jr., of Danville, the patron of the House bill, which has already passed that body, was the first speaker, and he made an eloquent and pathetic argument for the bill. His effort was largely along the line of his very able speech in the House first season, when his bill falled of passage, and he was often given flattering applause by the laddes and labor people who were present in the interest of the bill. Colonel Cabell was followed by Senator Don F. Halsey, of Lynchburg, and he speke with great eloquence and pathos. He cited statistics designed to show that to work children in factories was to stunt their growth and to bring them up in ignorance. He paid a pretty tribute to the children grown up in the runt districts, and said the whole civilized world was against the principle of child labor. Senator Halsey declared that the people of the State were behind the Cabell bill, and that the Legislature would have to answer to the people if they either killed or emasculated it. to the people if they either killed or emas-culated it.

culated it.

The peroration of Senator Halsey was a beautiful burst of oratory, and he was followed by Mr. Whitehead, of Norfolk, who spoke briefly but carnestly for the bill. Celonel Cabell asked that the matter go over in order that Mr. Doherty might appear, and in executive session next Wednesday night at 8 o'clock was set.

Interest in the committee on Propositions and Orievances has decided to report favorably a bill urged by the Ring's Daughters of the State to establish an "industrial school" to be managed by a board of seven laddes, the institution to be reality a reformatory for young criminals. The bill provides that all criminals under sixteen years shall be seat to the industrial school, which for keeping them will receive fees similar to the industrial school, which for keeping them will receive fees similar to those paid to failers. The bill will in all probability pass. Mrs. W. H. S. Burgwyn, of Weldon, is one of the most active advocates of the measure.

A bill introduced by Mr. Justice in the Senate, requiring engineers to blow waistles and attract the attention of pedestrians on the railroad track has received unfavorable report. This, too, in the face of the fact that that Mr. Justice is himself chairman of the committee. It was known as the "Justice whistle bill."

A negro boy has been bound over to the Superior Court here for a criminal assault on a ten-year-old school girl. The child was returning to her suburban home from school with her six-year-old brother. The Legislature is looking far ahead

Wednesday night at 8 o'clock was set.

The Legislature is looking far ahead with an eye to doing its work well and satisfactory to the people of the State. Yesterday Mr. Edwards, of West Point, offered a resolution designed for the appointment of a Committee on Final Revision and Adjustment to review the work when it shall have been completed by the Legislature.

The resolution is as follows:

Whereas it appears that the general statutes, now under consideration of the various committees, under the plaus adopted, and the acts of this General Assembly ought to be revised as a whole, by a joint committee of the House and Senate, before they are enacted into a new Code; therefore;

1. Be it resolved by the House (the Senate concurring) that a committee of fifteen is hereby constituted to consist of ten members from the House and five from the Senate, to be known as the 'Joint Committee on Final Revision and Adjustment of the Speaker of the House and the president of the Senate, who shall be appointed by the Speaker of the House dust all the general statutes, civil and criminal, of this Commonwealth, which may be in force at the time of the completion of their work. In performing this duty they shall suggest in their report such contradictions, omissions and imperfections as they may discover in the statutes, and are proved and amendments as may be necessary to reconcile or supply the same, without producing a radical change in the statute laws that may exist at the time; the committee shall arrange all the general statutes under appropriate titles and chapters and divide them into sections numbering them consecutively from one to the end, retaining the present numbering as far as practicable, having due reports and the committee shall in all respects execute and complete the revision as hereby directed in such a manner as in their opinion will harmonize the gennome from scaool with her six-year-old brother.

Three negroes, members of an organized band of thieves were arrested here early this morning by the police, and large quantities of stolen property recovered, much of it clothing stolen from the residence of Dr. I. McK. Pittinger, rector of the Church of the Good Shepherd.

The Brevard Tanneries Company, of Brevard, Transylvania county, is chartered by the Secretary of State, with \$50,000 capital, to make tanning extracts, conduct tanneries and deal in timber and lumber. The stockholders resident in the State are Charles McNamee, of Biltimore, and W. P. Long, of Brevard. Several New Yorkers are large stockholders. Several New Yorkers are large stockholders.

Solicitor George W. Ward, who conducted the prosecution in the Wilcox trial at Hertford, is here. He says he believes the people have heard the last of the case now, and that Wilcox will have to serve the thirty years' sentence meeted out to him. The appeal for a new trial he declares to be without anything on which to base the cause before the Supreme Court.

Judge Purnell, of the United States Circuit Court, has issued an order setting February the as the date for hearing the now noted Peabody Street right-of-way suit, in which the Seaboard Air Line and city of Durham seek to break the exclusive title of the North Carolina Rallroad Company to the Peabody Street right of way through Durham. Numerous and able counsel are interested on both sides. This is the suit which Colonel Andrews, of the Southern, declares must be settled in favor of the North Carolina road, which the Southern has leased, before the Southern will consider a proposition to erect a union depot in that city. The Raleigh Savings Bank is moving into their new home, on Fayetteville Street—the old State Bank building. It has been handsomely fitted up so that it so ne of the handsomest banking houses. spects execute and complete the revision as hereby directed in such a manner as in their opinion will harmonize the gen-eral statutes with each other and the new Constitution and make the Code of Statute Laws as existing at the close of their work as clear and complete as pos-sible, and report by bill to the House and Senate the final result of their work for

further action. The committee is directed, if, in their opinion it be wise and practicable, to report separately the civil and criminal statutes, with a view of having them published in two separate volumes.

Mr. Gent, of Russell, offered in the House on Yesterday a very interesting bill amending the Code in relation to forfeitures on railroad companies for transporting freight beyond its destination. The bill which went to the Committee on Roads is as follows:

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1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Virginia that section twelve hundred and one be amended and re-enacted so as to read as follows:

Section 1201. Penalty for failures and negligence: if any railroad or railway company shall after payment or tender of the lawful toils or acceptance of any freight or express packages to be carried over its line of railroad or railway fail to receive or to transport or to deliver in a reasonable time any property, freight or express packages so delivered or offered, or fail to take up or set down any passenger at such depot or other regular stopping-place as he may desire or shall carry any freight or express packages beyond the place of final destination without direction from the consignee of such freight or express packages, or if the said company shall demand and receive more than is lawful it shall forfeit to the consignee of such freight or express packages or to the injured party a sum to be recovered by motion or action of not less than twenty-five nor more than one hundred dollars.

2. This act shall be in force from its

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passage.

The House Committee on Privileges and Elections yesterday passed by the consideration of the four congressional reappointment bills, and made them a special and continuing order for Monday next at 4 o'clock P. M. This action was taken out of deference to Mr. C. C. Baker, of Westmoreland, who is one of those having a measure pending before the committee and who is confined to his home by slokness.

The fight is going to be a big one, and all the patrons seem hopeful, though Hon. S. Gordon Cumming, of Hampton, who offered the first bill, appears absolutely confident that his bill will be preferred by the committee and by the Legislature. The bill of Colonel Lee, which proposes to re-enact the present law, has many strong friends, and there are several who declare it will pass.

There is great interest in the result and many public men are expected here to take part in the fight.

There were two bills of considerable importance to railroad people offered in the House on yesterday. One was by Hon, Charles M. Wallace, Jr., of this city, and the other by Hon, R. S. Blackburn Smith, of Clarke,
The former, which was offered and de-

foated at a previous session of the General Assembly, provides for the establishment of a Board of Telegraph Examiners and regulates the employment of railway telegraphers. Mr. Smith's bill is designed to compel railway companies to attach passenger coaches to their freight trains for the convenience of the traveling public. The patron says the people of his section are having a great deal of trouble over railroad schedules and are seeking some relief which they hope will come through the passes of his bill.

As a result of the recent trip here of ex-Congressman W. W. McIntyre, of Bal-limore, bills will shortly be offered in the Senate and House making an appropria-Senate and House making an appropria-tion to pay the actual expenses of the re-moval of the remains of the wife and daughter of President Monroe from Fair-fax county to Hollywood, where they will lie beside those of their distinguished husband and father. It is estimated that the cost will be about \$500.

The House Committee on Countles, Cities and Towns met yesterday atternoon and favorably reported the bill offered by Mr. Gent, of Russell, to allow that county to issue bonds and borrow \$10,000 for keeping in repair its public roads.

### THE SALOON AGITATION

Salisbury is Especially Stirred Over

This Matter.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

SALISBURY, N. C., January 22.—Petitions are being circulated and strong efforts are being made in Salisbury to get the Legislature to enact strict temperance laws for this town and county. It is probable that no town in this or any of the adjoining States have so many saloons for the size of the place. There are about twelve legalized saloons here are about twelve legalized saloons here to a population of something over 8,000.

The pastor of the First Methodist Church, Rev. H. L. Atkins, is especially active in this campaign, and each Sabath a good part of his sermon is a strong admonition to his congregation to aid the cause of temperance.

It is probable that in a short while the terminus of the Southern's road from Asheville to Salisbury will be changed from this place to Spencer. From the outlook now it is only a question of a little time until Spencer will have a large population and be one of the thriving towns of the State. This Matter.

OVERTON-POOLE

Crewe Young People Are Married In Portsmouth.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch. CREWE, VA., Jan. 29.-Miss CREWE, VA., Jan. 29.—Miss Emma Poole and Mr. Agnew Overton left here on the evening train Wednesday for Portsmouth, and were married by the Rev. G. H. McFeden, of the Method-ist Church, soon after their arrival. The ceremony was performed in the parlou of the parsonage, witnessed by the mem bers of Mr. McFaden's family, who are especial friends of both the bride and Soon after their marriage they took the

Soon after their marriage they took the boat for Washington, New York and other cities. Returning, they will make their home in Petersburg.

The bride is the pretty and attractive daughter of Mr. J. Poole, of this town. The groom is an employe of the Norfolk and Western Railroad, formerly of this place, but now of Betarshurg. place, but now of Petersburg

Weeks-Baird.

ROANOKE, VA., January 29.-At the residence of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Baird last night, their daughter, Miss Blanche Baird, and Mr. Cleveland Weeks, of the Blue Ridge Mines, were married, Rev. James P. Baird, of Bristol, an uncle of the bride, officiated.

Paid Firemen for Roanoke.

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(Secial to The Times-Dispatch.)

ROANOKE, VA., January 29.—The special committee of the City Council, which has for two weeks been discussing whether the volunteer fire department should be succeeded by a paid department, to-night adopted an ordinance providing for the latter, and the election of a chief, four foremen, and such number of firemen as the Council may decide. As the committee represents a majority of the Council, a paid department is assured.

Pleased With Mr. Kinchloe.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) CREWE, VA., Jan. 29.—Rev. J. Kinch CREWE, VA., Jan. 29.—Rev. J. Kinchlee, of Manchestor, preached at the Baptist Church Sunday. The congregation
expressed themselves as being well
pleased with him, and it is probable that
he may be extended a call to the pastorate of the church. Mr. McElroy, of
Richmond College, has been supplying
this church for some months, and is
quite popular among the people. He
has two more years at the seminary yet.

Five Years for Burglary

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA., January 29,
Eliza Johnson, colored, charged with burglary, was tried in the Corporation Court
to-day and sentenced to five years in the
penitentiary. She will take with her to
Richmond her five-months-old infant.

A Masque Ball.

A masque ball was given under the auspices of the Phoenix Social Club, for their members and friends Wednesday night at Saenger Hall. It was one of the most enjoyable affairs of the season. Four handsome prizes were awarded to the best original and comic characters. The music was beautifully rendered by Jacob Kaufman's orchestra. The committee of arrangements was Messrs. Isadore Cohen, Archie Steiner, Jacob Cohen, Max Freeman, Abram Cohen.

## The Most Profitable Business in the World

for the past thirty years has been the production and refining of oil. Many of the world's greatest fortunes have been made in the business. THE TEXAS OIL FIELD

is the greatest yet discovered in the world. The production and refining of oil in this district is likely to be even more profitable than anywhere cise,

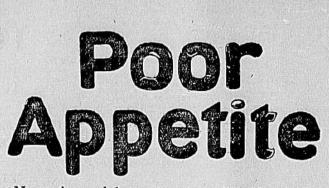
## THE ORANGE OIL AND Refining Company

next to the Standard Oil Company—has the largest and best holdings in the dis-trict and the best facilities for the profit-able conduct of the business.

The authorized capital of the company is 55,000,000, and the par value of the shares \$10. More than half the stock is still in the Treasury. A limited amount of this Treasury stock is for sale—to provide additional equipment—at \$4 a share.

Make checks payable to the ORANGE OIL AND REFINING COMPANY, and send to 27 William Street, New York.

MYRA B. MARTIN, Secretary.



"None o' your dainty eaters for me," said a thrifty farmer. He was right. You can't work if you can't eat. We know our tonic reconstructor VINOL will make your appetite come back, because it has done so in 985 out of every 1,000 cases. Those who are not satisfied get their money back. VINOL gives no false appetite, but makes your food taste well and nourish you.

> TRACLE MEDICINE CO., DRUGGISTS. - THE HOME OF VINOL

## HORSE WAS NOT STOLEN

Half Owner Loaned it Out to a Friend.

MR. BASS LOSES BIG SUM

Thief Entered His Home and Took Ove \$200-Delightful Entertainment by Young Ladies of Presbyterian Church-Want Light to Stay.

The Times-Dispatch Bureau, No. 1102 Hull Street. } mond spent a great part of yesterday looking for a horse reported to have been stolen from Mr. W. H. Sampson, of No. 1319 Bainbridge Street, some time

Wednesday night, Not until late in the day was the horse Not until late in the day was the horse located, and then it turned out that the horse had not been stolen at all, and that the police had been put to a great deal of trouble through a mistake.

The horse was owned jointly by Mr. Sampson and his brother, and it was learned that Mr. Sampson's brother had loaned the horse to a friend, who went out to Chesterfield county yesterday fox hunting.

A horse belonging to Donnan & Company strayed from its stall last night, and was caught near the Free Bridge, on its way to Richmond.

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BIG LOSS.

The robbing of the residence of Mr.
Bass on Wednesday night, as reported to
Chief Lipscomb yesterday, resulted in
the loss of more than 1200 by that gentleman. The police are on the alert for
the thief.

FRETTY ENTERTAINMENT.
One of the most entoyable entertain-

One of the most enjoyable entertain-ments given for a long time was the calendar ten at the Presbyterian Church

moval of the electric light from Thirteenth and Semmes Street will be opposed when it is reported to Council on February 10th.

Residents of that section are opposed to the removal of the light, and a delegation will be present to oppose the passage of the measure by Council.

COURT NOTES.

The trial of the case of W. P. Mathews against Maurice Johnson resulted in another hung Jury yesterday afternoon, and the jury was adjourned for the term.

The cases of Harrison Cox, charged with cutting W. J. Harding, and that of Benjamin Smith for obtaining money under false pretences went over in the Corporation Court to next term.

SMALL TALK.

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Dr. J. W. Brednax attended Beverly
Tetty yesterday for a bad cut on the
foot. He was splitting wood when the
axe slipped.

Nothing has been seen of the negroes
Byrd and Foster, who created a sensation Tuesday night by firing at each
other.

of a Receiver.

W. J. Yarbrough & Sons, one of the colored and bost-known tohace o houses in the city, made an assignment in the City Chancery Court yesterday afternoon, the liabilities being approximated at \$50,000 and the assets at \$25,000. This action was followed by the appointment of Mr. Samuel 12. Woodfin as a receiver for the concern, this being done on the concern.

pany, who hold claims against the firm to the amount of \$10,78.04.

Judge Grinnan fired \$20,000 as the amount of bond the receiver should give, and this was readily furnished by Mr. Woodin, who will assume charge of the affairs of the company at once. Under the order from the court, he is permitted to continue the business until all orders have been filled and the raw tobacco now in stock manufactured, after which the business of the firm will be closed out.

The assignment does not prefer any creditors, all sharing alike. Mr. Woodin is named as trustee in this document, and is given privileges in accordance with those granted him as receiver.

The W. J. Yarbrough factory was established in 1841 by Mr. W. J. Yarbrough, the establishment being located on North Twenty-fifth Street, where it now is. Mr. Yarbrough later took his sons—W. T. and A. R.—in the firm. He died in 1880 and Mr. W. T. Yarbrough passed away in 1895. Since that time the business has been conducted by Mr. A. R. Yarbrough.

The firm was maker of "Yarbrough's Midd Burley," one of the most celebrated brands of tobacco on the market.

## THE ALUMNI OF RANDOLPH-MACON

Rev. W. B. Beauchamp, of Richmond, is Elected President-The Annual Dinner February 18th.

A well attended and enthusiastic meeting of Randolph-Macon Alumni Society was hold last night at the residence of Dr. Thomas D. Merrick, No. 400 East

Franklin Street.
It was the occasion of the annual meeting and to arrange for the yearly dinner of the society. After the usual routine business had been dispatched, the election of officers for the ensuing year was held. The retiring president, Mr. S. S. P. Patteson, and vice-president Mr. R. G. Rennolds, were, according to the constitution, ineligible for re-elec

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tion.

The society voted these gentlemen a vote of thanks for the very splendid services rendered the past year.

The byliot then being taken, the following were named as officers for 1993:

President, Roy. Dr. W. B. Beauchamp;
First Vice-President, Cary Ellis Stern;
Second Vice-President, J. Jordan Lenke;
Treasurer, J. T. Hamsay; Secretary, L.

McKente Judkins.

The following were elected as Execu-

One of the most enjoyable entertainments given for a long time was the calendar to a long time was the calendar to a long time was the calendar to a the Presbyterian Church last night, under the auspices of the young ladies of the church.

The church was prettily decorated with calendars of every decerpition, and each one who entered was presented by one of the pretty young ladies with a souvenir calendar. The programme could not have been better either in arrangement or quality. The ducty between little Misses Margaret and Lucile Owens was particularly enjoyable, while the entire programme was applauded, as it deserved. Those who took part were the programme was applauded, as it deserved. Those who took part were the Misses Owen, Miss Matcile Ellington, Miss Mazelle Gregory, Mr. Eddle Burton, M

## LONG SESSION OF POLICE COURT

An interesting session of the Police Court was ald yesterday, and it proved one of the k gest in a week or two. Jos Jefferson, a colored crook, fared vorse than any other of the sinners. He was sent on to the grand fury for entering and burglarizing the lower floor of No. 402 North Third Street, and carrying off a gold watch belonging to Hattie tion Tuessay other.

"The Peace of Jerusalem," a cantata, will be rendered by the Grove Avenue quartette at Bainbridge Street Baptist Church on the night of February 5th, for the benefit of the organ fuel of the church.

AN OLD FIRM ASSIGNS

W. J. Yarbrough and Sons in the Hands of a Receiver.

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## MURDER THEORY WAS DISPELLED

Infant Found in Henrico Was Evidently Dead Before it Was Mutilated.

WGS MULLIAUGU.

A post-mortem examination, held yesterday afternoon at the Henrico Courthouse, leads Dr. Lorrimer James, county
coroner, to the belief that the infants
wite child, whose mutilated remains
were found Wednesday on Chestnut Hills
was dead before it was injured.
Despite the findings of the coroner,
which robs the case of its sensational
aspect, the affair remains a mysterious
one. An arm and both legs were cut off,
and the little body was otherwise mutilated, A coroner's jury sat on the case,
yesterday for some time and finally
brought in a verdict to the effect that
death was due to some causes unknown,

Four veterans at the Soldiers' Home were examined Wednesday by Dr. James and were ordered to the lunatic asylum, Their cases were anything but violent.

A negro woman in Fulton narrowly ecsaped death from a mysterious bullet Wednesday night. The woman lives at No. 1003 Graham Street, and at that time of the occurrence was engagerwith her household work. Suddenly a shot came crashing through the window in close proximity to her head. A search was at one instituted, but no clue as to the whereabouts of the would-be assassin could be discovered.

Clinton Turner, charged with breaking into a store on Twenty-fifth and P Streets, is in jail.

The case of Silies vs. the Virginia Pas-senger and Power Company, suit for k00 damages, was tried yesterday in the Ulreuit Court.

## TWENTY-FOUR DEAD

Only One Victim of Southern Pacific-Wreck Identified With Certainty.

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(By Associated Press.)

TUCSON, ARIZ., January 22.—The coroner's jury empanelled to-day by Coroner Culver viewed the remains of fourteen viotims of yesterday's disaster on the Southern Pacific near Vall's Station. The list of dead is now placed at twenty-four. The body of J. M. Hilton was the only one identified with certainty. Other bodies are being taken from ruins. It was stated that the four colored porters of the dining car are missing, not having been seen since the disaster.

The total number dead thus far reported is twenty-four, and it is now believed that the fatalities will number not less than thirty-five.

The total injured as far as heard-from, number forty-seven.

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### MINORITY REPORT ON THE TRUST BILL.

Would Deny Use of the Mails to Corporations Violating the Sherman Act.

(By Associated Press.) WASHINGTON, January 29.—A minori-ty report was submitted to the House today by the Democratic members of the House Judiciary Committee on the anti-trust bill recently reported by the com-mittee.

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The views of the minority are submitted at considerable length. They purpose
an amendment, which will make the bill
applicable in its operations to existing
corporations as well as to those organized
in the future, and will deny all corporations violeting the Sherman anti-trust
law the use of the mails, telegraph and
telephone systems, as well as the other
facilities of interstate commerce specified
in the bill reported. Another amendment
proposes to make watered stock ground
for declaring a corporation bankrupt.
Still another provides that every corporation engaged in interstate commerce,
wherever organized, shall be subject to
the jurisdiction of the State in which it
may operate. Provision is made by the
minority for the imposition of a tax on
all corporations with a capital in excess
of \$200.00.

In addition to imposing a fine where
commen carriers knowingly transport the
goods of a corporation violating the antitrust law, provision is made by the minority for summarry science and condernation of such goods. Finally the minority
proposes an amendment putting on the
free list certain articles manufactured of
steel, agricultural implements, paper and
pulp, for the manufacture of paper, window and plate glass, salt and other articles.